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SUBJ: ALEXANDRIA VAULT GRILLS

1. PETERSON AND ORCHARD ARRIVE CAIRO 1550 JULY 29 VIA MEA 304. TEMPORARY SUSPENSION OF FLIGHTS VIA CYPRUS, GREECE AND TURKEY HAS MADE BEIRUT/CAIRO A PRIMARY WESTBOUND ROUTING AND NO SEATS ARE AVAILABLE ON EARLIER FLIGHTS. REQ RICHARDSON AND CARLSON ARRIVE CAIRO 1505 JULY 29 VIA MS 752 OR VIA EARLIER FLIGHT.

2. REQ CAIRO PROVIDE AT ALEXANDRIA CONSULATE

- A. PORTABLE ARC WELDER WITH HOOD AND GLOVES
- B. 10 EA WELDING ROD 5/32 MILD STEEL
- C. 6 FOOT STEP LADDER
- D. 20 FOOT EXTENSION LADDER
- E. CEMENT AND SAND FOR MORTAR PLUS MIXING IMPLEMENTS, WATER HOSE, ETC.
- F. GSO FSLE (DIMITRI) TO ASSIST AND PROCURE MINOR ITEMS LOCALLY.

3. ABOVE ASSUMES GSO WILL PREFABRICATE CAGES AT CAIRO IF AIR CONDITIONER SIZE IS KNOWN OR AT LOCAL WELDING SHOP IN ALEXANDRIA. IF THIS CANNOT BE ARRANGED, SEABEES MUST FABRICATE, ADD TO LIST:

G. 40 EA WELDING ROD 5/32 MILD STEEL (FOR TOTAL OF 50)

H. OXYGEN/ACETYLENE CUTTING TORCH, WITH GOGGLES

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J. 180 FEET 5/8 INCH DIAMETER REINFORCING ROD.

4. REQ CAIRO TAKE CARE OF ANY REQUIRED REPLACEMENT OF
VAULT AIR CONDITIONERS PRIOR TO ABOVE WORK.

5. EXPECTED PROJECT DURATION IS TWO WORKING DAYS AFTER ARRIVAL
OF TEAM AND MATERIALS ON SITE. TECHNICAL INSPECTION WILL BE
CONCURRENT. RECOMMEND MSG COVERAGE OR FULL TIME AMERICAN
OCCUPANCY START NOT LATER THAN END OF FIRST WORKING DAY.

6. SUGGEST CONCURRENT FLANAGAN/PETERSON SURVEY FOR ALEXANDRIA
NEEDS FROM ANTI-TERRORISM TECH EQUIPMENT PROCUREMENTS.

7. ANTICIPATE NO NEED FOR PRIOR CAIRO STOPOVER AND REQ
TRANSPORTATION CAIRO AIRPORT DIRECT TO ALEXANDRIA 29 JUL.
PETERSON WILL HAVE COURIER LETTER AND WILL BE CARRYING BOTH
CLASSIFIED AND UNCLASSIFIED POUCHES TALLING ABOUT 250 POUNDS
PLUS LUGGAGE.

8. ADVISE DETAILS OF LOCKWORK.

9. ADDIS ABABA ADVISE CONCURRENCE AND ETA CAIRO.
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